## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

: Confirmation No. 5756

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ELECTRONIC COMPONENT MOUNTING METHOD AND APPARATUS

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2003, the time for responding thereto being extended for three months in accordance with a Petition for Extension submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: